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Date: March 17, 2003

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Olaf Storbeck
Applic. No. : 09/941,824
Filed : August 29, 2001
Title : Susceptor for Semiconductor Wafers
Examiner : George R. Fourson III
Group Art Unit : 2823

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated December 17, 2002,
kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 2, 3, 4, and 7.

Claim 1 (Amended). A susceptor for supporting a
semiconductor wafer having a diameter of at least 300mm and a
perimeter edge, the susceptor comprising:

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